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SUBJ: NEW ZEALAND AMBASSADOR IN MALTA

1. NEW ZEALAND AMBASSADOR TO ITALY. MR. PHILIP HALLOWAY, IS PRESENTLY IN MALTA FOR TALKS WITH P.M. MINTOFF AND MALTA DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION. ACCORDING PRESS REPORTS THESE TALKS CONCERN STRENGTHENING OF RELATIONS BETWEEN MALTA AND NEW ZEALAND AND INCREASING ECONOMIC COOPERATION AND EXPANSION OF TRADE BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES. ACCORDING REPORTS, VISIT IS RESULT OF MEETING OF P.M. MINTOFF AND P.M. KIRK AT COMMONWEALTH CONFERENCE IN OTTAWA.

2. IN 1972 MALTA IMPORTED DOLS 163,799 WORTH OF NEW ZEALAND PRODUCTS. MAINLY DAIRY PRODUCTS AND MEAT, AND EXPORTED DOLS 52,477 MAINLY CLOTHING. VISIT PROBABLY CONNECTED WITH MINTOFF'S POLICY TO DO WHAT HE CAN TO REDRESS ADVERSE TRADE BALANCE IN ANY WAY POSSIBLE. IT MAY ALSO BE ASSOCIATED WITH HIS POLICY TO ESTABLISH FORMAL (BUT USUALLY NONRESIDENT)

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